THE HONORABLE RICARDO S. MARTINEZ 2 3 4 5 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 6 FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE 7 8 XINLU FAN, LIANG'E FAN, SHAOCHUN FU, JIANHUA GU, NO. 2:19-cv-01545-RSM 9 FENYING LI, MINGXIA LI, YONGNIAN SHI, CHENLIN WANG, SHUWEN WU, STIPULATION AND ORDER 10 HAIJUN ZHOU, and XIAOFANG ZHOU, **REGARDING CLASS CERTIFICATION DEADLINES** 11 Plaintiffs, 12 v. 13 U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION; 14 QUARTZBURG GOLD, LP; ISR CAPITAL, LLC; IDAHO STATE 15 REGIONAL CENTER, LLC; and SIMA MUROFF, 16 Defendants. 17 18 U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, 19 Crossclaimant, 20 v. 21 QUARTZBURG GOLD, LP; and IDAHO 22 STATE REGIONAL CENTER, LLC, 23 Crossclaim Defendants. 24 25 26 27

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Plaintiffs and Defendants identified below, who are all parties who have appeared in this action, by and through their undersigned counsel, hereby stipulate and agree that the deadline for the Motion to Certify Class, currently scheduled for June 26, 2020 (Dkt. #30), should be continued until July 17, 2020, the deadline for any Opposition to Motion to Certify Class, currently scheduled for July 24, 2020 (Dkt. #30), should be continued until August 14, 2020, and the deadline for any Reply in Support of Motion to Certify Class, currently scheduled for August 21, 2020 (Dkt. #30), should be continued until September 11, 2020.

Defendant U.S. Bank National Association has noticed the deposition of the putative class representative and has agreed to take the deposition remotely, over videoconference. However, Plaintiffs' counsel has represented that the putative class representative cannot be deposed in China, even remotely, because depositions in China are illegal, and has further represented that the putative class representative is currently prohibited from traveling to another location for the deposition at this time due to travel and other restrictions resulting from the global COVID-19 pandemic. The parties agree that there is good cause for this request because U.S. Bank believes it is entitled to take the deposition of the putative class representative before class certification is briefed but the putative class representative remains unavailable to be deposed at this time. This Stipulation is without waiver of any party's right to seek further extensions or other relief. For these reasons, the parties hereto stipulate and agree to, and respectfully and jointly request entry of, the Order set forth below.

Respectfully submitted this 22nd day of June, 2020.

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**ORDER** 

Based upon the foregoing Stipulation, and for good cause shown, it is hereby ORDERED that the deadline for any Motion to Certify Class is hereby continued to July 17, 2020, that the deadline for any Opposition to Motion to Certify Class is hereby continued to August 14, 2020, and that the deadline for any Reply in Support of Motion to Certify Class is hereby continued to September 11, 2020.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of June, 2020.

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CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** I hereby certify that on this date I caused to be served the foregoing on the following 2 counsel of record by the method indicated: 3 4 John F. Rapp, WSBA #17286 ☐ Via Messenger Daniel P. Harris, WSBA #16778 ☐ Via Facsimile 5 Jihee Ahn, WSBA #16778 ☐ Via U.S. Mail John McDonald admitted pro hac vice ☐ Via Electronic Mail (per agreement) 6 Harris Bricken 600 Stewart Street, Suite 1200 7 Seattle, WA 98101 8 Tel: 206-224-5657 Fax: 206-224-5659 9 john.rapp@harrisbricken.com dan@harrisbricken.com 10 jihee@harrisbricken.com john.mcdonald@harrisbricken.com 11 12 Attorneys for Plaintiffs Xinlu Fan, et al 13 Roger D. Mellem, WSBA #14917 ☐ Via Messenger 14 Adam Doupe, WSBA #55483 ☐ Via Facsimile Ryan, Swanson & Cleveland, PLLC 15 ☐ Via U.S. Mail 1201 Third Avenue, Suite 3400 ☐ Via Electronic Mail (per agreement) 16 Seattle, Washington 98101-3034 mellem@ryanlaw.com 17 doupe@ryanlaw.com 18 and Sean T. Prosser, admitted pro hac vice ☐ Via Messenger 19 Mintz, Levin, Cohn, Ferris, Glovsky & Popeo Via Facsimile 3580 Carmel Mountain Road, Suite 300 ☐ Via U.S. Mail 20 San Diego, CA 92130 ☐ Via Electronic Mail (per agreement) STProsser@mintz.com 21 Attorneys for Defendants Quartzburg Gold, 22 LP, ISR Capital LLC and Idaho State Regional Center, LLC 23 24 DATED this 22nd day of June, 2020. 25 /s/ Molly Price Molly Price, Legal Assistant 26 27

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